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Republican Ticket,  
ELECTION NOV. 3, 1896.

For President,  
WILLIAM MCKINLEY,  
of Ohio.

For Vice President,  
GARRETT A. HOBART,  
of New Jersey.

For Congress,  
JOHN W. LEWIS,  
From 4th District of Kentucky.

ELECTORS FOR KENTUCKY.  
At Large—O. S. Deming, Mt. Olivet.

At Large—S. H. Kash, Mauchester.

First District—W. S. Mason, of Mayfield.

Second District—George H. Towery, of Dixon.

Third District—J. F. Taylor, of Glasgow.

Fourth District—J. S. R. Wedding, of Hartford.

Fifth District—Charles S. Stiglitz, of Louisville.

Sixth District—D. B. Wallace, of Warsaw.

Seventh District—John L. Booley, of Paris.

Eighth District—N. Daniel Miles, of Nicholasville.

Ninth District—Robert Buckley, of Mt. Olivet.

Tenth District—J. B. Marcum, of Jackson.

Eleventh District—H. G. Trimble, of Somerset.

We have been easy on our subscribers and have given a great many of them a long time in which to pay their subscription, but they have treated us with much neglect and have failed to respond to requests we have made for money through these columns and also by letter. We would like to be able to run the paper without collecting any money, but finding that to be an impossibility we have decided to forego collection and we hereby warn those who have been notified by our Attorney of their indebtedness that they had better pay and thereby save the cost of a law suit. We mean business and must have what is due us on subscription. This is a mere matter of business; you have been getting the paper and now we MUST have the money. Without the account is paid you may expect a law suit.

A Lexington shoe firm offers to sell shoes to responsible persons payable when McKinley is elected. The purchaser had just as well pay cash at once.

In the Arkansas State election last Tuesday the State gave her usual Democratic majority. The State is always Democratic and the result was no surprise to anyone.

The election of McKinley will start the factories to running, and will give employment to labor which will be paid in honest money for an honest day's work. Give us McKinley and prosperity.

G. N. PALMER, of Illinois, has been nominated by the Sound Money Democrats for President and Geo. Buckner, of Kentucky, has been nominated for Vice President. They will get a big vote in Kentucky.

During a period of ten years from 1880 to 1890 the wealth of the New England and Middle States increased 24 per cent; the wealth of the Southern States increased 53 per cent, and the wealth of the Pacific Coast States increased 41 per cent. This doesn't look much like the East is growing rich at the expense of the South and West.

It is very important that Republicans rally to the support of Hon. Jno. W. Lewis for Congress. Mr. Lewis made the best representative the 4th District has ever had and now asks for an endorsement at the hands of his people. It is his duty to the people of his District will certainly give him a large following aside from his own personal popularity, which extends over the entire District. With McKinley in the Presidential Chair and John W. Lewis in Congress you will see things open up and everything will be thriving.

**PISO'S CURE FOR**  
It is the only cure for  
CONSUMPTION

A successful business man has an annual surplus, not a deficit. So let us try an administration and Congress that will do as well by the nation. The country needs just such protection.

ONE fact must not be lost sight of in this campaign. The party that nominated Bryan at Chicago is the same party which is responsible for the enactment of the Wilson-Gorman bill and for all the disaster which have grown out of that Tariff Reform legislation. It is the party of Free-Trade still and, if successful at the next election, it will go on with its work of industry destroying Tariff Reform.

D. H. SMITH, of Lark county, has been declared the nominee of the silver Democratic Convention at Elizabethtown. The nomination was stolen from Mr. Murray and his friends are very mad. On two or three counts he had a clear majority of all the votes and should to-day be the nominee. Murray and Sweeney's friends will remember the treatment they have received when the November election comes. The convention broke up in wild disorder and refused to listen to nominee Smith speak. "There's trouble in de lane."

FOUR years ago we were prosperous beyond anything that we had ever known, even in this nation of prosperity. The monetary standard was then as now, but our Tariff policy was different. Then we had Protection now we have Tariff Reform as exemplified by the hodge-bodge Wilson-Gorman bill. Whether or not our financial system can be improved, it is plain that our first requisite is a return to the Protective Tariff policy, the policy which gave us prosperity in the past. That comes first, as Major McKinley said in his letter of acceptance.

FREE-TRADER Bryan and his party are making desperate efforts to drive the Tariff issue into the background. The nomination of Mr. McKinley proved that the Tariff issue would not take a back seat in this campaign. McKinley is identified with the tariff question, identified with the policy of Protection to American industries, and it is to that fact that he owes his nomination. With the "Apostle of Protection" as leader of the forces on the Republican side, Mr. Bryan can not ignore the Tariff question. He may divert the attention of the people for a time, but a reckoning is surely coming and he will yet have to answer some straight questions.

### POPULIST SPEECH.

Col. Parker's Speech at Har-dinsburg—Mr. Bronston Failed to Show up.

HARDINSBURG, Sept. 8.  
To what are the silver Democrats coming? There is nothing it seems, they will not do, in order to get office and political power. Last Saturday was the day set apart for a great silver rally. C. J. Bronston was published as the Democratic orator, while Col. Joe A. Parker was announced as the drawing card for the Populists. As the result of these announcements there was a large gathering of Populists and Democrats assembled in the court house at one o'clock. The Democratic champion Mr. Bronston, failed to put in an appearance. Then as now he is engaged in repairing the breaches in his political fences that are continually being made by Col. Hodges and W. C. P. Breckenridge. When Hodges and Breckenridge shall have done with Bronston, he will doubtless be in a suitable frame of mind to sing:

"Earth's but a desert drear,  
Heaven is my home."

Mr. Bronston could not be at Har-dinsburg last Saturday. Col. Parker however was here, arrayed in all his glory, and heavily surcharged with his Populist speech.

The first installment of his speech was devoted to our National banking system. He made quite a number of misrepresentations regarding banks, and clearly established the fact that he does not know as much about the financial institutions as he might know, and as he should know.

The greater part of Col. Parker's speech was devoted to financial matters. After hearing Parker's arguments on financial matters we were thoroughly convinced that the people have been unfortunate in not having him at the head of our financial affairs. Instead of such men as John Sherman and John C. Carlisle. But the matter we wish to speak of more particularly is this: At the close of Parker's speech Mr. James Whitworth, chairman of the Democratic county committee, got up and read a resolution to the effect that was the sense of the Democrats of Breckinridge county that the Populists be allowed two electors on the Democratic electoral ticket.

A rising vote was taken on this proposition and the Democrats present voted for it solidly. When we use the word "Democrat" we refer to the silver Democrats.

The National Democrats had no hand in the matter, but looked upon the entire proceedings with utter contempt.

According to this arrangement if it is carried out, Populists will go to the polls and vote for eleven Democratic electors, while Democrats will vote for two Populists.

How does this suit our middle-of-the-road Populist friends? And you not vote the entire Democratic

ticket as to vote for eleven Democratic electors out of thirteen? What about your patriotic profession gentlemen? A year ago you were telling the people that both of the old parties were corrupt and could no longer be entrusted with the people's welfare. You told us you intended to purify politics and hurl the old parties from power. Now, lo! and behold, you are ready at the command of your bosses, to walk up to the polls and vote for eleven-thirteenth of the electors of that party that has abused you in the past without end.

Are the honest Populists of our State (and the masses of the Populists are honest men) going to permit themselves to be made the tools of men who wish to make a shamless hater and trade of their principles for office? The Democratic party, my Populist friends, has no love for you or your principles. Finding itself in a dilemma, however, it is pandering to you to get your votes. Gentlemen of the Populist party, stand by your colors! Never permit yourselves to be made the pilant tools of unscrupulous politicians.

Do you think the Democratic party is for free coinage of silver? If you do, permit us to call your attention to this fact: Four years ago we trusted this government; to the Democratic party they had the President and both branches of Congress. Did they give you free coinage? Nay, verily! Instead of giving you free coinage they repealed the purchasing clause of the Sherman law, thus proving that they were enemies to free coinage instead of friends to it. These are facts.

The Populist party to-day is the only free coinage party. If you vote for Democrats you will merely throw your vote away. The past history of the Democratic party proves this.

RONIN HOOK.

Robt. Mosley for McKinley.  
There have been various rumors in regard to Mr. Robt. Mosley, of Calhoun, who has been a life-long Republican, voting the Democratic ticket this year. Mr. L. P. Crowder, of Rosine, to settle a dispute, wrote to Mr. Mosley who responded as follows:

CALHOUN, Ky., July 26, 1896.  
DEAR SIR:—I will say to you that I am for McKinley first, last and all the time. If I live until November I will vote the Republican ticket. I have not seen Mr. Calhoun since the rumor has gotten out, but I don't believe there is a word of truth in it.

Yours truly, R. C. MOSLEY.

A Million Gold Dollars  
Would not bring happiness to the person suffering with dyspepsia, but Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured many thousands of cases of this disease. It tones the stomach, regulates the bowels and puts all the machinery of the system in good working order. It creates a good appetite and gives health, strength and happiness.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills. 25 cents.

Program  
Of the Teachers' Reading Circle to be held at Beaver Dam, Ky., September 19, 1896, 8:30 a. m.

Roark's psychology.  
Methods of mind study—Oma Williams, H. E. Brown, Contrast, instruction, developing, training and education—Nettie Rogers. Relation of mind and body—Miller, W. M. Likens. Mind defined, discussion—L. T. Barnard. Consciousness, discussion—Anna Gregory. Elmo Williams. Mental activities classified—J. N. Likens. Applications for teaching—R. C. Jarangin. Attention—Definition and kinds—Laura Rensler, I. C. Hoover. Educational importance—J. B. Taylor. How secured and held—H. H. Davis. Habits, definition and formation—W. E. Morton and J. Ham Barnes. Causes of habits, discussion—A. C. Taylor. Educational value and danger—E. R. Ray. Application to teaching—Edie Kahn Taylor and Lon Rogers. Ruskin.

Each member is requested to prepare written statements of ten valuable thoughts gleaned from Lecture "Sesame—Of King's Treasures." These will be read and followed by general discussion. Do not fail to be present, for no one can do your work.

E. R. RAY, Instructor.

Ayer's Hair Vigor tones up the weak hair roots, stimulates the vessels and tissues which supply the hair itself, and adds the oil which keeps the shafts soft, lustrous and silky. The most popular and valuable toilet preparation in the world.

The Blue and the Gray.

There will be a reunion of the Blue and the Gray at Sister's field, on Lower Main street, beginning on September 17, and continuing three days. Every preparation is being made to do all that is necessary to make the occasion one of unusual interest to those who attend.

Speakers will be procured and there will be addresses every day. It will be managed so that one day will be Democratic day, another will be Republican day, and another Populist day, and speakers whose political faith is in accord with the program of party for the day will make the addresses.

The committee on invitation of A. C. Tompkins, J. M. Whitehead, Robt. Pike and Jim Wilson.  
Committee on reception—Dr. Pennington, Col. Bill Hill, Geo. B. Vargason, Capt. John Triplett.

Arrangements will be made to entertain the abolitionists on the grounds. (Owensboro Messenger.)

CASTORIA.

It is the only cure for

## AGOOD ARGUMENT

By a Good Citizen in Favor of Good Money.

We Need Protection, Sound Money and Then We Will be Prosperous.

Never in the history of these United States has so many farmers had the wool so completely pulled over their eyes as it is to-day.

Now there are only three things clearly needed.

1. Protection, and plenty of it.  
2. Tariff, and plenty of it.  
3. Sound Money, and plenty of it.

With these three, everything else will follow.

What I mean by Sound Money is this, it is a coin stamped as being of the value of one hundred cents, it should contain an amount of bullion worth that much in the market, or be secured by the difference between its intrinsic value and face value in the treasury vaults of the country, so that the holder could always be sure of having one hundred cents of value while he holds that coin and be able to get a dollar's worth of goods for it at any time and any place, and if paid to him for wages be sure he was getting a dollar in fact as well as apparently. Now that is the sort of dollar that we believe in. But we want also so that there be a precious metal of practically no fluctuating tendency coined into a dollar and this to be the unit of all our money values.

Just as the inch is of the yard-stick, gold has this peculiar quality, it is almost without appreciable variability of intrinsic value, it is as nearly perfect in this matter as any earthly thing can be, it is the everlasting one in Julius Caesar's time the ratio between silver and gold was 7 to 1 when Columbus discovered America the ratio was 15 to 1. When our forefathers settled here it was 15 to 1, prior to 1837 it was 15 1/2 to 1, up to 1873 it was 16 to 1. Now it is 31 1/2 to 1. Always the 1 and silver gradually and constantly climbing numerically upwards in ratio, why is it, if not that gold is the staple metal and silver not so, we must have a single money unit or standard of money values.

A double standard is practically an impossibility, just as a double standard yard-stick or gallon measure would be, and there would be just as much sense in one as the other, all other moneys must be measured by this standard. A dollar coin made of silver must be worth a dollar as bullion or be secured to that amount by government, as is the case with the 53 cent silver possesses no special merit for money purposes over other metals of an available character, and any argument that is made in favor of flooding the country with silver coins can as well be made for copper, if the governments fiat alone can give value to an unlimited coinage of silver and maintain a parity between it and gold, then the same fiat can make copper coins in the same way and give them the same value. And if cheap money is wanted copper has the advantage of being a much cheaper metal, and paper is even still cheaper. Business is bad, but had money will not make it better.

France tried that experiment under similar circumstances just a century ago, and her experience should warn us against its repetition here. Farmers and working men demanded plenty of cheap money, and so it was given to them, widespread distress followed, and as usual the poor and producing classes were the chief sufferers. The same thing was tried in our New England colonies, and with the same results. Mexico has cheap money, and the laborer is paid 55 cent dollars and buys with 100 cent dollars; that is, he buys all commodities based on the gold standard.

No country in the world, we believe gives free and unlimited coinage to silver, and none on a silver basis is anything like as prosperous as ours is at this moment. No country in the world gives as high wages as ours, not as many days work in the year. No silver basis country in the world has as large a commerce as prosperous manufacturers or as well-to-do an agricultural class. How shall we improve our condition, then, by adopting the methods of less prosperous nations. Do you say that our nation is an incomparable greater, our resources so vastly superior, and our people so superlatively more ingenious and excellent, that we are capable of succeeding even where other nations less favored have failed. Bosh! chin music, it is not a sensible boast. Don't take chances where all the odds are against success, use common business prudence. Seek to restore confidence in capitalistic and business circles don't elect drunkards, gamblers and incompetents generally to Congress and don't be misled by large mouthed orators be sober, be diligent at your business, and avoid internal dissensions and walk up to the poles in November like men and vote for McKinley, and let us bury the Democratic party, and this free silver foolishness so far out of sight that even the X Rays cannot find them.

W. G. HICKS.

From my farm near Prentiss one black heifer with line back, 18 months old, marked with split in left and awallow fork in right ear. Anyone knowing of her whereabouts and will let me know I will come after her and pay for the trouble.

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HARDIN WALLACE Prentiss, Ky.

Taken in time Hood's Sarsaparilla prevent serious illness by keeping the blood pure and all the organs in a healthy condition.

## Boils

It is often difficult to convince people their blood is impure, until dental caruncles, abscesses, boils, scrofula or skin eruptions, are painful proof of the fact. It is wisdom now, or when there is any indication of

## Impure

blood, to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, and prevent such eruptions and suffering. "I had a dreadful carbuncle abscess, red, fiery, fierce and sore. The doctor attended me over seven weeks. When the abscess broke, the pains were terrible, and I thought I should not live through it. I heard and read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, that I decided to take it, and my husband, who was suffering with boils, took it also. It soon purified our

## Blood

built me up and restored my health so that, although the doctor said I would not be able to work hard, I have since done the work for 20 people. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured my husband of the boils, and we regard it a wonderful medicine." MRS. ANNA PATTERSON, Latimer, Kansas.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1 Hood's Pills cure liver ills, easy to take, easy to operate. 25 cents.

It must be that this place is situated exactly at the center of the universe. For while people are crowded in almost every quarter, our people are generally contented and happy and indeed why should we not be happy for we have good churches, good schools, fairly good roads and good crops. Store truck is cheap and we are blessed with good will and land but not least, all our neighbors are good ones, genial and kind. Speaking of the roads we are of the opinion the road problem is solved by the introduction of our new road machinery by which we are persuaded that one dollar spent in properly using it, it will on general principles do as much work as six dollars spent in the old way; and I speak from experience as to store trucks. We believe a dollar spent with our merchants will buy as much, if not more, than any place outside of the eastern cities. How does 6 pounds of Ar-buckle coffee for one dollar strike you? For this you can get at some of our stores, and other things in proportion.

Bond & Sons, of Clinton, ship from one to three car loads of live stock per week and this alone is quite a source of income to our stock raisers; and then our mill is quite a convenience and of which Rentrow & Dean have the best one in all the Green River country. Their capacity, I believe, is 75 barrels of flour per day, and that of the very best. They have also the best corn mill it was ever my good fortune to see, and it is in fine trim, doing first class work and what is better the proprietors are first class broad gauged gentlemen.

All our business men are busy and happy except, perhaps, our M. D's, of which we have two first-class. A month back they were real busy, but not so busy now, perhaps that by their efficient treatment they have gotten the people so well that they have not much to do now.

The political campaign bores them. How she bores them! There are more lies and more truths told and more flimsy and more sound arguments indulged in than has been for quite a long while and as Bro. Cook, of Rural Neck, Warren county, says the most honest man, the biggestascal or the biggest fool can now find a candidate in the field to suit his principles.

We know of but two silver Republicans in this whole section, but we know of 10 or 12 gold Democrats.

Let the good work of educating the voters go steadily on. We shall see what we shall see.

THOS. F. JOHNSON.  
Good Old Granny Metcalf, 87 years old, living at 1005 South Fifth street, Paducah, Ky., says that Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is the best grip cure, cough, lung and bronchial remedy that has been offered to the public during her life.

Druggists sell it. For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

Writing Machines.  
If you are thinking of buying one, call on or write to Gross Williams and let him bring you one of the latest Sluggers. They are just too nice for anything.

A cold in the head is one of the most distressing and disconcerting of maladies. It causes loss of sleep. It neglected it terminates in that most obnoxious of all diseases—catarrh of the head or throat. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is a prompt and never failing cure.

Up-to-date druggists sell it. For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

CHALVINO.  
Mrs. Bettie Atherton, of Inel, McLean county, is visiting relatives here. Miss Vitula Tot, also of Inel, is visiting Mrs. Overhulse.

Miss Minnie Wood is visiting in Morgantown and Rochester.

Rev. T. M. Mouton visited his brother, V. B. Mouton, Sunday.

Rev. I. C. Brandon conducted a very interesting meeting at the church last week.

Burn on the 21st inst. to the wife of Mr. C. G. Kimbley, a girl.

School opened Monday with 31 enrolled.

## Our Friends HAVE BEEN SAYING TO US That Other

Merchants tell them we cannot sell goods as cheap as we claim to. This is very gratifying to us because it convinces our customers that we are doing something that other merchants cannot do. Why is this? There are three excellent reasons:

FIRST:—With five other GOOD Merchants we spent ten days in the VERY best Markets, pricing, selecting and buying. We buy from \$20,000 to \$30,000 worth of goods at one time. The more we buy, the cheaper we get them, and goods bought right are no trouble to sell right.

SECOND:—We do not pay a dollar for rent. Our expenses are light and we can afford to be satisfied with small profits.

THIRD:—And last reason, but the best of all: We pay cash for our goods, get very best discounts. WE SELL STRICTLY FOR CASH TO EVERYBODY.

But let our prices talk for themselves:

Hood's cotton (by the bolt)	4c
Full standard calicoes	4c
Plaid cottons, 25 inches wide	4c
Bleached cotton (no time in it)	5c
Good shirting	5c
Good cotton flannel	5c
Children's ribbed hose	5c
Ladies good black hose	5c
5 papers good plus	5c
Boys suspenders	5c
Linon crash	5c
Granulated sugar (only 40¢ to one customer)	5c
Green coffee	6 1/2¢
Rye	6 1/2¢
Men good suspenders	10c
3 cakes butter milk soap	10c
All wool filling doubled fold cashmere	10c
Teazle down (for children's capes)	10c
3 spoons O. N. T. thread	10c
Conestoga bed ticking—good	12 1/2¢
Woolenets (for capes and cloaks)	12 1/2¢
All wool red flannel	12 1/2¢
White flannel 23 inches wide	12 1/2¢
Good cotton jeans	12 1/2¢
10-4 Pepper sheeting	16c
Turkey red table linen	19c
All wool filling Henrietta	17 1/2¢
Good umbrellas	50c
Children school shoes	69, 79 and 89c
Ladies iron clad button shoes	\$1.00
Ladies fine Dongola button shoes	1.00
Mens heavy creeds mores	\$1.00
Mens heavy kip brogans	1.00
Mens good wear's fine shoes	\$1.25
Mens and ladies fine shoes from	\$1.50 to \$4.00
Heavy double front overalls	50c
Good jeans pants	85c
The celebrated Mayfield pants	\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50
Best cor-furto pants	\$2.00
Heavy duck coats	\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50
Mens good worsted suits	\$3.00
All wool Cheviott suits	\$5.00
Nice clay worsted	\$5.00
The very finest from	\$7.50 to \$15.00

Highest market price paid for produce. Give us a call.  
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Pleasant Ridge, Ky.



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WANTED—SEVERAL FAITHFUL men or women to travel for responsible established house in Kentucky. Salary \$780, payable \$15 weekly and expenses. Position permanent. Reference. Enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope. The National, Star Building, Chicago. 5-161.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.  
THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. FOR SALE BY Williams & Bell.

Release is at hand for all sufferers from coughs and colds or diseases of the throat, bronchial tubes or nasal cavities who will resort to the right remedy. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey cures all disorders and sickness of this kind. Thousands have testified to this fact. It is made of simple and harmless ingredients of pine tar and honey—scientifically combined. It never fails. There is nothing "just as good."

Take no substitute from any druggist. For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

Remember Bullington when you want a good shave or hair cut.

Miss Margaret Nall,  
**PIANO TEACHER**

HARTFORD, KENTUCKY.  
FALL term begins August 31, 1896, at her home for the reception of pupils. Thorough training. Special attention given to young pupils. Terms as usual. Your patronage solicited. 5-161.

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You shall not prod the sides of labor with goads of avarice. You shall not impale the laborer's wife upon the prongs of high cost and low wage.—Waterbury American



